



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Some Photos from Last Week's Activities



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Year 4 Museum Tript

On our school trip we went to the war museum. There were lots of old things to see, some of them were very old and belonged to real people. We learnt a lot of things about World War 2. It was great fun and we all really enjoyed it.

Maybe you should plan a visit, I think you would enjoy it too.

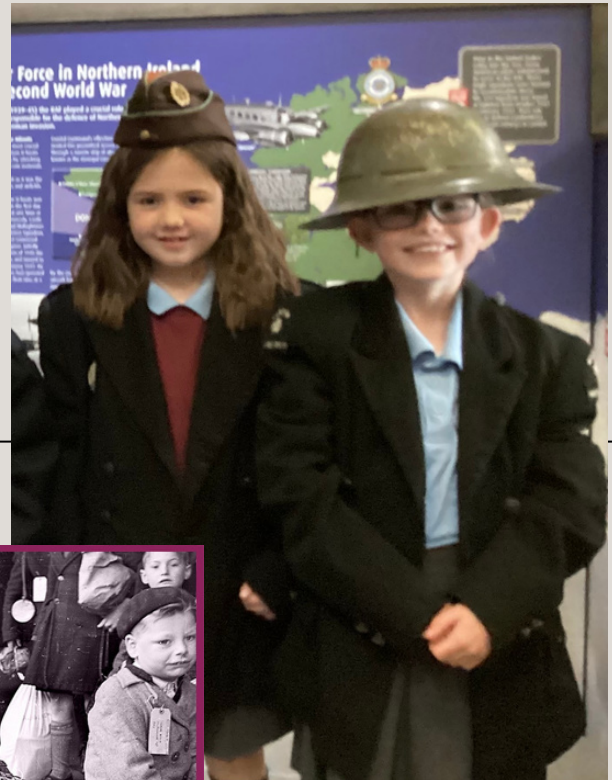
Alva, Primary 4

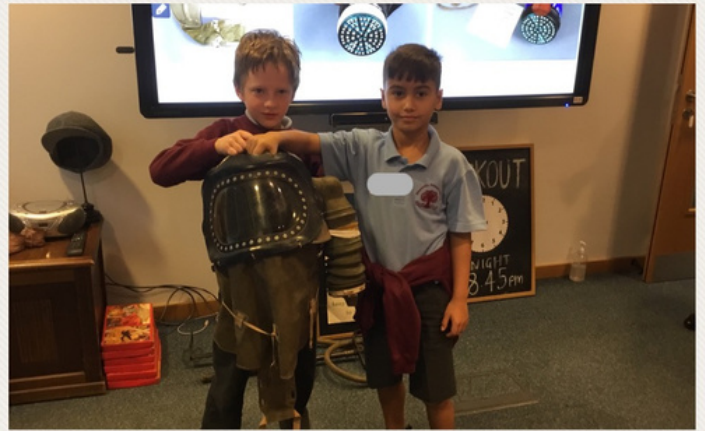
Our class went on a school trip to the Northern Ireland Memorial Museum. We had a great time, we learned a lot of things about blackouts, the jobs they did during the war and finally the ARP – Air Raid Precautions. We also got to dress up in real World War 2 clothes this was cool, I dressed up as a pilot. We then did a quiz all about World War 2. We had a fantastic time.

Ella, Primary 4

We went on our trip to the museum, we went by bus, it wasn't a double decker bus, but it was still fun. I sat beside Alva, we chatted a lot. We were all so excited when we got there. A lady guided us around the museum. We learnt so much about World War 2, we learnt about Anderson and Morrison shelters. We found out more about the blackout and got to hold a real-life World War 2 bomb. We also saw a gas mask carrier that a baby would use, which looked very strange. The best part of the day was getting to dress up in olden day clothes, I was an ambulance driver. I had a wonderful day on my trip.

Anna, Primary 4





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Cycle to School Week

A huge thank you to Iain Sneddon, our local Sustrans Active Travel Officer, parents and pupils who joined in our 'Cycle to School' initiative which has been a great success.

Iain delivered some excellent workshop sessions across the school. Helping children to ditch stabilisers and developing cycling skills were just some of the activities that took place.

We are encouraging our children to develop healthy habits whilst keeping their safety a priority and so we have had a focus on parking around the school. We are continuing to press the Education Authority to recruit a School Crossing Patrol person and the PSNI are supporting us in monitoring parking. Please make our children's safety your priority when you are parking your car.

*Thank you
Linda Wilson*



TRAVELLING BOOKS

Thank you for the fantastic support at the recent Autumn Book Fair. The classes enjoyed visiting the fair and it was a great success, raising over £1500 in commission. We will now purchase new books to support our reading scheme and class libraries. Along with the families who visited the Book Fair to peruse and purchase books we also had a wonderful group of parent volunteers who offered their time to help out and made it all run smoothly for everyone – Julie Forbes, Julie-Anne Findlay, Liam McGarry, Tricia Tate, Nadine Liberante, Samia Akram, Amanda Bradshaw, Chris Van Es, Karen Corry, Kellie Anderson and Erin Collins. Huge thanks to Ms Cahoon and everyone involved.

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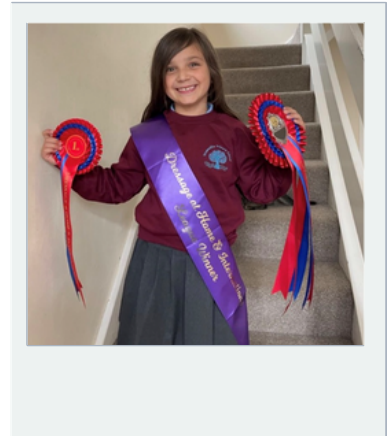


CONGRATULATIONS

Lucy wanted to share a photo of her rosettes and sash which she was awarded for winning the Summer League of a Dressage competition.

Lucy and her pony Daisy worked very hard all through spring and summer competing in 8 different competitions to be placed first overall in the class.

Congratulations Lucy!



CONGRATULATIONS

Paddy came 2nd in a Tennis tournament & won a tournament with his Gaelic Team.

Fionn & Rory participated in a Zombie Mud Fun run.

Luke was 'Player of the Match' at Hillsborough Boys FC.

Well done boys!



CONGRATULATIONS

Arthur received a trophy for Player of the Week at Instonians.

Alexa won MVP (Most Valuable Player) in her class at Queen Basketball Club at the weekend. Her sister Georgie won her MPV in a row.

Great playing Everyone!



The Eco Club on a Litter Pick!



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Reminders

Parent consultations the week beginning 24 October.

A special Storehouse Assembly will take place on 20 October when we will be asking pupils to bring in provisions for the foodbank. Details will be shared soon.

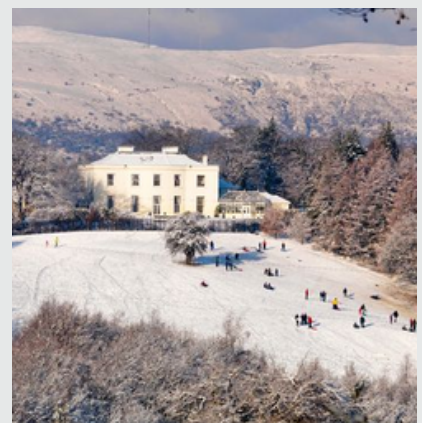
Save the Dates



Halloween Disco
Wednesday 26th
October



Christmas Tree Sale
Saturday 3rd
December



Christmas Fair
Saturday 10th
December